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1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

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CS FOR HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 12

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

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Requesting the governor to give con-

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sideration to contract negotiations

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between the state and the Matanuska-

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Susitna Borough relating to the re-

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location of the capital site.

10 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

11 WHEREAS, in 1974, the people passed an initiative requiring the reloca-
12 tion of the capital site and requiring that the relocation begin no later
13 than October 1, 1980; and

14 WHEREAS, in 1976, the people selected the Willow area as the site for
15 the new capital; and

16 WHEREAS, in 1978, the people passed an initiative allowing the expendi-
17 ture of state money for the relocation of the present functions of state
18 government only after adoption by the voters of a bond issuance which in-
19 cludes all bondable costs of the relocation;

20 BE IT RESOLVED by the Alaska State Legislature that contractual negotia-
21 tions between the state and the Matanuska-Susitna Borough, which would pro-
22 vide for the development of the new capital city by the borough at no expense
23 to the state, are a practical means of complying with the people's wish to
24 relocate the capital site while, at the same time, complying with the 1978
25 initiative; and be it

26 FURTHER RESOLVED that the governor is respectfully requested to consider
27 these contract negotiations at the earliest possible time in order to satisfy
28 the October 1, 1980 target for beginning the relocation if it is found that

29 (1) the Matanuska-Susitna Borough has the powers and financial

1 ability to accomplish the development of a capital city in accordance with
2 AS 44.06 and AS 44.07; and

3 (2) no state funds will be expended for the development of a
4 capital city in accordance with AS 44.06 and AS 44.07.

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